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Jean-Pierre MOY et al. : Response under 37 CFR 1.116
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For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR POSITIONING AN OPTICAL COMPONENT
BETWEEN TWO OPTICAL FIBERS : Examiner: RHONDA PEACE

AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 116

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Sir:

This paper is submitted in reply to the Office Action mailed August 8, 2006, which was made Final. Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments **as to form** be entered to place this application in condition for allowance.

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